



# South Central Idaho News

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*There is no accompanying article about south central Idaho this month.*

South Central Idaho Table 1: Twin Falls-Jerome MicSA Labor Force & Employment—Twin Falls and Jerome counties					
	Sep 2006*	Aug 2006	Sep 2005	% Change From	
				Last Month	Last Year
<b>INDIVIDUALS BY PLACE OF RESIDENCE</b>					
<b><i>Seasonally Adjusted</i></b>					
Civilian Labor Force	51,040	50,720	48,070	0.6	6.2
Unemployment	1,550	1,330	1,590	16.5	-2.5
% of Labor Force Unemployed	3.0	2.6	3.3		
Total Employment	49,490	49,390	46,480	0.2	6.5
<b><i>Unadjusted</i></b>					
Civilian Labor Force	51,710	51,490	48,510	0.4	6.6
Unemployment	1,250	1,480	1,290	-15.5	-3.1
% of Labor Force Unemployed	2.4	2.9	2.7		
Total Employment	50,460	50,010	47,220	0.9	6.9
<b>JOBS BY PLACE OF WORK</b>					
<b>Nonfarm Payroll Jobs**</b>	40,110	40,760	38,680	-1.6	3.7
<b><i>Goods-Providing Industries</i></b>	7,240	7,670	7,120	-5.6	1.7
Natural Resources & Mining	40	40	30	0.0	33.3
Construction	2,560	2,560	2,160	0.0	18.5
Manufacturing	4,640	5,070	4,930	-8.5	-5.9
<i>Food Manufacturing</i>	2,420	2,880	3,000	-16.0	-19.3
<i>Other Manufacturing</i>	2,220	2,190	1,930	1.4	15.0
<b><i>Service-Providing Industries</i></b>	32,870	33,090	31,560	-0.7	4.2
Trade, Transportation & Utilities	10,170	10,250	9,330	-0.8	9.0
<i>Wholesale Trade</i>	1,960	1,930	1,780	1.6	10.1
<i>Retail Trade</i>	5,830	5,860	5,540	-0.5	5.2
<i>Utilities</i>	170	170	170	0.0	0.0
<i>Transportation &amp; Warehousing</i>	2,210	2,290	1,840	-3.5	20.1
Information	610	610	590	0.0	3.4
Financial Activities	1,770	1,730	1,660	2.3	6.6
Professional & Business Services	5,120	5,400	5,220	-5.2	-1.9
Educational & Health Services	3,600	3,580	3,340	0.6	7.8
Leisure & Hospitality	3,430	3,410	3,190	0.6	7.5
Other Services	1,480	1,490	1,400	-0.7	5.7
Government Education	2,640	2,580	2,950	2.3	-10.5
Government Administration	4,050	4,050	3,880	0.0	4.4
*Preliminary Estimate					
**Full- or part-time jobs of people who worked for or received wages in the pay period including the 12th of the month					